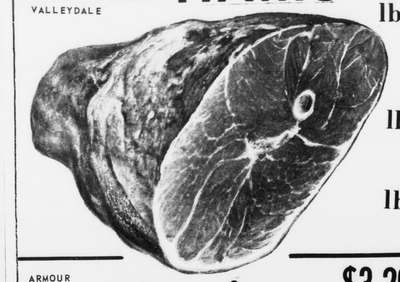
SMOKED HAMS Whole VALLEYDALE lb. 55¢



Shank Half lb. 49¢

Butt Half lb. 57¢

Pork Chops 1ST. CUT lb. 67¢

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TURKEYS GOLDCREST - 5 TO 9 LB. AVG lb. 39¢

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ARMOUR Canned Hams	3 lb. can	$3.29
Franks ARMOUR STAR	12 OZ. PKG.	59¢
BACON CYPRESS -	lb.	59¢
¼ Sliced Pork Loin	lb.	79¢
RIB CHOPS CENTER CUT	lb.	99¢
SPARE RIBS HOLLYWOOD OR COUNTRY STYLE	lb.	73¢
White Salt Meat	4 lbs.	$1.00

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EVERY DAY LOW PRICES-

Royal Gelatin ALL FLAVORS	3 OZ. BOX	10¢
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SHORTENING RICHFOODS	3 lb. Can	77¢
Paper Towels HUDSON OR NORTHERN	3 JUMBO ROLLS	$1.00
Saltine Crackers OVEN FRESH - 16 OZ. BOX		29¢
Tomato Soup HEINZ -	CAN	10¢
KINGS DRINKS ALL FLAVORS	10 PINT BOTTLES	$1.00
Bleach RICHFOOD	GAL.	49¢
SHOWBOAT - 31 OZ. CANS PORK & BEANS	4 CANS	88¢
Apple Sauce WHITE HOUSE	6 16 OZ. CANS	$1.00
Fig Bars FIRESIDE -	2 LB. PKG.	39¢

CHASE & SANBURN COFFEE LB. BAG. 79¢ EVERY DAY LOW PRICES

Pleasing Fresh Produce

LETTUCE LARGE FIRM HEADS HEAD 19¢

Radishes FINE FOR SALAD 2 6 OZ. PKG.

PEPPERS LARGE SIZE EACH

CUKES FIRM AND CRISP 2 FOR

SQUASH FANCY YELLOW lb. 19¢

Apples WASHINGTON STATE RED DELICIOUS lb.

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Crest Toothpaste	6¼ OZ. SIZE	79¢
BAYER Aspirin	100'S	78¢
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Father Kirkleaf

By Calvin Robinson

Friends. It seems that for[illegible] I am writing on a dry [illegible] only to have a needed [illegible] up things by the [illegible] loyal readers take [illegible] now what is sup[illegible] to my garden is so dry [illegible] assets have set up a [illegible]. The birds have not [illegible] to take a bath since [illegible]unday. There is not [illegible]ature on Martha St. [illegible]estage stamps had to [illegible] stamp this morning. [illegible] growing are crab[illegible] morning glories. But [illegible]ptimist. Things got no [illegible] or but up. Give us a [illegible]ks and I'll be mowing [illegible] again, snipping rose [illegible] complaining of too [illegible]honeysuckle. We part [illegible]ermers bob up and down [illegible] fisherman's cork in a [illegible] sandwich. We are for[illegible] talking about how bad [illegible] are but we do not really [illegible], we love it.

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[illegible]nday and I were guests [illegible] and Mrs. T. C. Harvey, [illegible] a delightful drive over [illegible] of Buckingham County. [illegible] "Joe" soon after we left [illegible], but Tommie knows [illegible] to perfection and is an [illegible]ner conductor. Mrs. Har[illegible] showed us some of her [illegible] and her latest cera[illegible].

[illegible] special interest during this [illegible] a stop at New Store, [illegible] District, Bucking[illegible]. So much there now, [illegible]ded with history. [illegible]ible Peter Francis[illegible] fifteen years of his [illegible] the New Store coming [illegible] to become an [illegible]ter and eventual [illegible] George Washing[illegible]burg The Revolu[illegible] are interested in [illegible] may do several [illegible] him. He was the [illegible] friend of LaFayette [illegible]rvals" of his era. [illegible] 1890's the DAR [illegible] "liberty trees" [illegible] Francisco State Park, [illegible]nor of the Thirteen [illegible] and to nourish the [illegible] tree, soil was obtain[illegible] gravesite of Peter [illegible]. Another sidelight: [illegible]ounded during The [illegible] Francisco was once [illegible] dead but a Quaker [illegible]son found that there [illegible] the giant hero and [illegible] nourished Fran[illegible] health. Incidently, [illegible], 1976, should be some [illegible] holiday, for that was the [illegible] years ago next week, [illegible]-year-old lad, Fran[illegible] off on the dock at [illegible], Va., by a strange [illegible] which then vanish[illegible] the seas. Most [illegible] Francisco was of [illegible] loyalty; all of us [illegible] make America [illegible] the physical giant [illegible].

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[illegible]ndis me the rea[illegible] are so many birds [illegible] convention on our lot [illegible] are feeding [illegible] beauty of the quince [illegible].

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[illegible] Robinson, the former [illegible]-Prince H.S. star athlete [illegible] Fork Junior College, [illegible] selected to attend a [illegible] program at the Air [illegible] Academy at Colorado [illegible] tryout for the Unit[illegible] Olympic Basketball [illegible].

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[illegible] wrote me a letter [illegible] with an interesting [illegible] that they forgot to [illegible]ter and for that [illegible] unable to use the [illegible].

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[illegible] to incoming pipe[illegible] I hear they are [illegible] the area for a con[illegible] project of Transco, [illegible] experience we know [illegible] be an asset to the area [illegible] all those join[illegible] effort to make them [illegible] beautiful.

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[illegible] bell has sounded, so [illegible] ending and see ya [illegible].

Thomas M. Richardson

Insurance Staff Manager Retires

Thomas M. Richardson, staff manager since 1947 of the Appomattox office, Home Beneficial Life Insurance, plans to retire on June 1. He is taking an early retirement from a full business day but plans to remain active occupied with a number of other interests.

A native of Appomattox and graduate of Appomattox High School and Phillips Secretarial College, Mr. Richardson has been an insurance man for most of his adult life. During World War II he was employed at the Newport News Shipyard.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson have three daughters and three grandchildren, Mrs. Barry Beale, (Catherine), of Culpeper, with Lynn, Timmy and Angela. Also, Mrs. Joseph Megginson, Jr. (Cynthia) of Junction City, Kansas and Mrs. Leonard Barnwell (Jane), of Greensboro, N. C.

A Sunday School teacher for more than 25 years, Mr. Richardson teaches the Christian Crusaders class at Liberty Baptist Church. He is Past Master, Monroe Lodge 301 and Past Worthy Patron, Order of Eastern Star 10, of Appomattox.

At the Richardson home are many valuable antiques, some of them refinished by them plus an interesting collection of farm tools, treasures from the days when Mr. Richardson was one of a family of six children living on an Appomattox county farm. In the living room are dozens of decorated mustache cups and shaving mugs.

Mr. Richardson says that he will miss most the many wonderful friends and business contacts he made through Home Beneficial. However, he notes, that retirement years will give him an opportunity to do many things he's been wanting to do. One of the first of these is a trip by airplane to Ft. Riley to visit Lt. and Mrs. Megginson.

BANKS CLOSE FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Farmers National Bank, Fidelity National Bank, Appomattox and the Hillcrest Branch and the Pamplin Branch of First National Bank of Farmville, will be closed Saturday in observance of Memorial Day.

Memorial Day Community Service Sunday

The annual Memorial Day service will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. at the Confederate Cemetery, Appomattox Court House National Historical Park.

Speaker will be Park Superintendent F. Alec Gould. Master of ceremonies will be Ivey Holland, Commander of American Legion Post 104. Also taking part will be the members of the Appomattox Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy. The Spout Spring Baptist Church choir will sing and Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts of the community will take part in the ceremonies.

Taps will be played by David Moon.

FFA Elects Officers

Pictured above are the newly elected officers for the FFA Chapter at Appomattox County High School for 1970-71. Members elected to office and their respective offices are as follows: (Front row left to right): James St. John, Chaplain; Mark Eggleston, historian; Mike Gallier, executive committee member; Phillip Harris, executive committee member; Douglas Webb, reporter; (second row) Kenneth O'Brien, sentinel; Gary Thomas, president; James Torrence, chairman of executive committee; Phillip Lucado, treasurer; Jimmy Bondurant, first vice-president; (third row) John Cole, conductor; Tom Stratton, executive committee member; David Wheeler, secretary; Steve Tanner, Conductor; John Braford, second vice-president; and Charlie Gunter, Donald Drinkard, members of the executive committee (not pictured).

Hotel Has New Owners

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boyer of Madison Heights are the new owners of the Appomattox Hotel, Main Street. Former owners, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Haley, plan to move to Martinsville today (Thursday). The hotel was built in 1917 by Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Cheatham. There are 14 rooms and 5 apartments. The Boyers' daughter, Miss Brenda Boyer, will also be here to transact business. Both Mrs. Boyer and her daughter are court stenographers. The Boyers plan to operate the hotel as it is now while looking forward to future development of the property. Standing near Lee Street Tuesday afternoon Mr. Boyer remarked that he is a Yankee, but Mrs. Boyer's family ties are with Virginia, particularly Sheppard's where her aunt's home, "Keswick" was once a stopping place for General Grant. Her grandfather Louis Dillrell Jones, had a home at New Store where Lee stopped during the final days of the War Between the States.

Drinkard Wins Area Award

Donald Drinkard, 16, has won the area award of the Future Farmers of America for Farm and Home Electrification. An Appomattox County High School sophomore, his work in farm and home electrification will be considered for the state award. State winners will be announced during the Annual State FFA convention at VPI in June.

Donald has applied many improved practices in electrification in his home and on his home farm. Some of his accomplishments in electrification are assisting his father to wire outbuildings, installing new electrical equipment and extending several circuits.

Donald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Drinkard, Rt. 3, Appomattox.

Appomattox Becomes Bird Sanctuary

Appomattox Town Council has unanimously approved an ordinance proclaiming that the Town of Appomattox become a bird sanctuary.

Appearing before Council Monday evening, May 18 were Mrs. Roy A. Moon and Mrs. A. R. Harwood, Jr., representing the Garden Club of Appomattox.

Mrs. Calvin Robinson made the motion for the naming of the town as a sanctuary, a project that will include the placing of four signs on highways and roads entering Appomattox with appropriate notice.

The ordinance adds to the Town Code information that "it shall be unlawful to trap, hunt, shoot or attempt to shoot or molest any bird or wild fowl or to rob their nests." If birds become a nuisance or menace to health or property in the opinion of the Health Department then the birds may be destroyed as ordered by the Health Dept. by the Appomattox Town Police.

A $100 fine and/or imprisonment not exceeding 30 days can be imposed on violaters, and the ordinance is effective immediately.

In the other action the same evening Council heard from workmen on the condition of the tow-owned Ball Park. According to their report there are five missing fixtures, at least 14 bulbs out from the lighting system and a pole on which a supporting beam needs to be lowered or moved because of damage from woodpeckers at the top of the pole. Costs to renovate the lighting system will cost several hundred dollars, Council was told, and further action was put in the hands of the property committee, Robert Hubbard, chairman.

Also appearing before Council to speak about the Ball Field was attorney Robert Carter, president of the Appomattox County Youth Association. He pointed to possibilities for wider use of the ball field for baseball games, also fairs, "donkey baseball" and other recreation. He said further that the Appomattox County Youth League will try to expand its offerings to young people by including a Connie Mack team next year for older teen agers. At present the spring and summer ball program concerns Little League and Pony League age boys up to and including the 14 year old group. Connie Mack teams are for older teens.

Mayor H. B. Pack said he felt he was speaking for the entire council in encouraging the Appomattox County Youth Association in its plans. "We want to see it (the ball field) in good shape and we want to see it used," he said. The ball park is located near the eastern boundary of the town just off Rt. 460.

Council approved construction of sidewalk on the west side of High Street from Bandanna St. Moses St.

Councilman Dick Bass, speaking for the Appomattox Volunteer Firemen, reminded Council that the town truck is 24 years old. He estimated cost for a new truck at $25 - $30,000. The present truck is a 1946 Chevrolet. The county truck is a '57 model. Council each year sets aside money toward the purchase of a new vehicle.

C. S. Booth, town manager, notified council that a zoning permint has been issued to Amelia Dress Company for an addition to the building on Confederate Boulevard.

Youth Choir Will Present Folk Musical

The Youth Choir of Liberty Baptist Church will present a folk musical, "I Looked For Love" on Sunday evening at 7:30. Guitars, tambourine and drums will be added to piano accompainment by Donna Jean Hubbard. Director is Mrs. Franklin Vaughan. The public is cordially invited to join the congregation in hearing the modern musical work by Ralph Carmichael. Mrs. Franklin says that many hours of practice have gone into the production. Singers and instrumentalists include (from left, 1st row): Kathy Mitchell, Vicky Rogers, Donna Hubbard, Joan Coleman, Carol Wood, Diane Williams and Joe Vaughan, guitarists. In the second row: Brenda Bryant, Rose Evans, Bill Lewis, Steve Marshall, tambourines; B. B. Hubbard, John Jarrells and Mrs. Vaughan. (Not shown: Connie Guill, drums; Jerry Heifner, guitar; Kitty Simpson, Norma Jean Gallier, Mike Gallier, T. C. Harvey, Mary Nell Doss, Ellen Doss, Pam Chenault, Elizabeth Johnson, Keith Ferguson and Debbie Rowe.

Six Ponds Constructed

by R. E. McClenny, Soil Conservationist

The 35,000 farm ponds in Virginia attract numerous sportsmen. Six farm ponds have been constructed this spring in Appomattox County. The increase in water recreation activities have resulted in more drownings. More than 100 persons drown each year in ponds, lakes, streams and seashores of Virginia.

Most fall into the water with clothes on from piers, stream and pond shores. Many are swimmers, waders and children playing around unguarded areas along streams and lakes. Some drown while boating and fishing. Nearly two thirds of those who drown are alone or with only one other person at the time of drowning. Most farm ponds are not well suited for swimming. If a pond is to be used for swimming, an area that is free from rocks, stumps, etc. should be marked off. Many ponds have steep banks and a step or two will drop a person into deep water – this is especially dangerous for non-swimmers. It is best to swim in areas with other swimmers and where a lifeguard is on duty. (Con't Page 7)

Poppy Day

Each year the American Legion Auxiliary ask our fellow Americans to wear over their hearts the red flower as a gesture of remembrance for those who died in America's defense.

The basic purpose of Poppy Day is to offer the American public an opportunity to honor their war dead while donating funds to and the disabled veterans and their families.

Poppies will be distributed by Unit 104 American Legion Auxiliary and their helpers over the week end of Memorial Day.

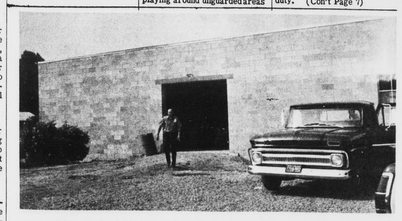
Brunswick Stew

The Spout Spring Ruritans will have a Brunswick Stew at Spout Spring School on Saturday, May 30, 1970 from 3 until 8 p. m.

The stew will be served from 3 until 8 p.m. at 8 p.m. a drawing will be held for a 30" Comet riding lawn mower. For tickets just contact any member of the club.

Holiday Service At Post Office

Saturday, May 30, will be observed as a holiday in all postal installations. No mail will be received or dispatched in Pamplin. Appomattox will receive mail at 6;15 a.m. and dispatch at 6 p.m. There will be no window service at Appomattox or Pamplin. No deliveries by rural carriers. Special delivery mail will be delivered within the Appomattox town delivery limits.



New Addition At Amelia Dress Co.

This 3200 square foot addition to Amelia Dress Company on East Confederate Blvd., Appomattox is the latest addition to Amelia Dress Company's property, located here, in Amelia, and Farmville. Constructed of cinderblock with cement flooring, the new building will be used for piece good storage according to Robert Stewart, co-owner together with Leonard E. Anderson. On Saturday night employees and management enjoyed a social in the new structure with string music, dancing and refreshments. Bob Stewart (show in doorway) says it was such a success there may be a "repeat" at Christmas or on other occasions. With the plant here operating at 100% capacity the new storage space will be put in use immediately, he says.

Firemen Seek Donations

The Appomattox Volunteer Fire Dept. has begun a drive for funds – asking for $1.00 donations. For some lucky donor there will be a television set, a percolator or a toaster on Saturday July 25 at 7 p.m., time set for a drawing. Members of the department will accept donations.

Old Barn Art Exhibit

There's sawdust on the floor and old beams of an old barn, a rustic setting for an art exhibit at Spring Mills Museum, Rt. 604 at the southwestern boundary of Appomattox and Campbell counties.

Artist is Mrs. Mary Turner who also manages the flour mill museum and gift shop at Spring Mills. Visitors are invited to picnic beside the waterfall and explore a nature trail in addition to seeing the art exhibit which opens Sunday.

Post 104 Plans War Memorial

A dollar bill CAN do more in 1970, say these American Legion members of Post 104: (from left) Larry Young, C.T. Moses, Jr., Ronnie Spiggle and Burke Guill. A dollar (or more) can be a donation to help construct a monument to servicemen and women who gave their lives in all the wars fought by the United States including the Korean and Viet Nam Conflict. In return the donor receives a bright blue ball point pen – and may receive this portable color TV now on display at Moses Motors. The Post will also participate in Sunday afternoon's Memorial Service at the Confederate Cemetery.